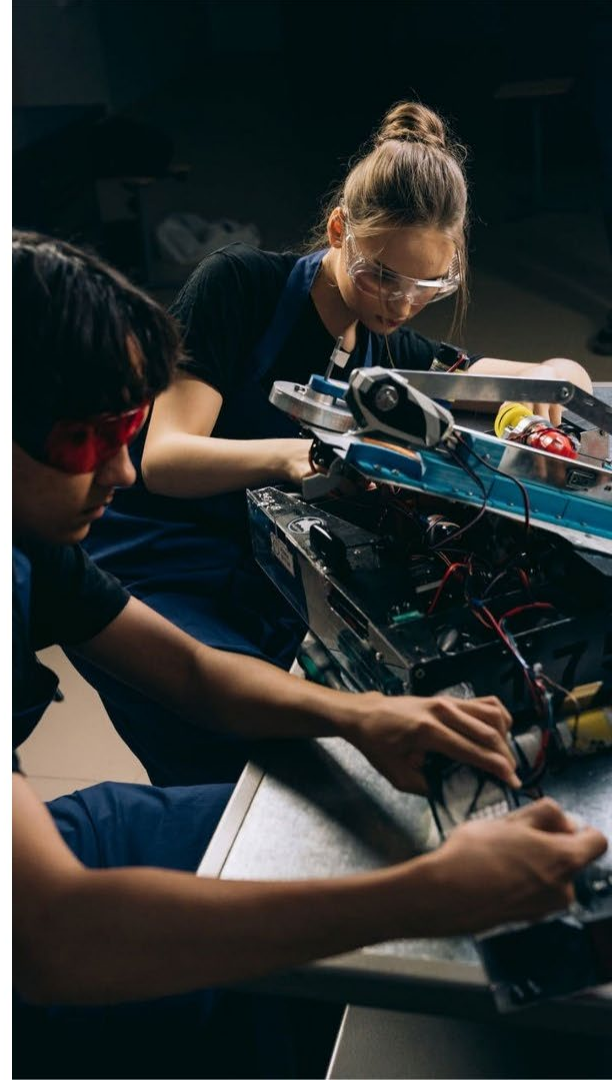




Master Credentials List Application Technical Assistance Webinar

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Introductory Remarks



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Master Credentials List

- Required by the Reimagining Education and Career Help (REACH) Act of 2021
- A comprehensive list of state-approved degree and non-degree **credentials of value** based on the **Framework of Quality** developed by the Florida Credentials Review Committee

Credentials Currently Eligible to Apply

- Apprenticeship certificates
- Industry certifications
- Licenses
- Advanced technical certificates
- College credit certificates
- Career certificates
- Applied technology diplomas
- Associate in Applied Science degrees
- Associate in Science degrees



Online Application and Web Page

careersourceflorida.com/mastercredentialslist

- Open year-round with submissions reviewed four times a year
- Applications may be submitted by school districts, Florida College System institutions or local workforce development boards
- 2021-2022, 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 Master Credentials Lists
- Important documents:
 - Framework of Quality
 - Frequently Asked Questions
 - Getting Started with Master Credentials List Application

Credential Information

Information required for submission includes:

- Submitter type and contact information
- Name and type of credential
- Florida Department of Education certification code (if applicable)
- Direct link with information about the credential, including verification the credential is currently available
- The name and website of the credentialing agency or their contracted credential developer, including points of contact
- Program title, program number and CIP (if applicable)

Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Association

- SOC-specific analysis of demand and wages
- SOC code from initial analysis that revealed need for application
- Local demand when state/regional demand not met
- Credential sequencing when SOC-associated wages below threshold

Technical Assistance Overview

One-page documents on:

- Local demand
- Credential sequencing
- Career and Professional Education (CAPE)



Next Steps

- Joint review team established by the Credentials Review Committee will evaluate credentials against the [Framework of Quality](#)
- Valid credentials meeting criteria to be identified as "credential of value" and recommended for inclusion on Master Credentials List
- Credentials Review Committee to approve new credentials each quarter
- Once annually, existing credentials on Master Credentials List evaluated against new labor market information
- Credential additions presented to CareerSource Florida Board of Directors for approval and delivery to State Board of Education

Questions?

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